

This Week

Paragraphs of the Week

Federal Government aids State in supplying food for families in northern Aroostook County suffering from malnutrition.

Many tax bills are to be acted upon by Maine Legislature.

Ex-Governor Percival P. Baxter, walking on the shore of Mackworth Island Sunday, discovered the floating body of Henry G. Farley, 57, of Portland; Farley had been missing since December.

Body of Lester G. Goodrich, 31, was recovered from the Mousam River, Sanford, Sunday.

Rep. Clifford E. McGlaughlin entered a proposal in the Maine Legislature to increase gas tax one cent, cut auto registration fee in half and allot one-half million more to municipalities for local highways.

The Social Security Board has announced that old age benefits paid to Maine residents in January amounted to \$3,815.66.

Dr. George W. Coombs, 76, state health officer, resigned his position Wednesday after Governor Barrows denied Coombs' statements about scurvy in northern Aroostook County.

Maine House of Representatives refused order Wednesday which called for review of Carroll-Dwyer case; Senate failed to pass the bill a week ago.

Hundreds were removed to safety last Thursday night when fire swept the Quebec hospital for insane; loss estimated at \$400,000.

Eight Naval planes crashed in fog near Pensacola, Fla., Tuesday; two persons were killed.

President Roosevelt has assured business he plans for no new tax bills.

Italy strengthens her forces as European situation again grows tense.

England launched \$40,000,000 35,000 ton warship Tuesday; named King George V, the ship will be the fastest in the British fleet.

Britain plans to arm without further taxes; expects to spend \$8,000,000 daily for defense.

Fire Monday in a Portsmouth lumber yard, which started in a Diamond Match Co. shed, resulted in \$250,000 damage.

The Secret Service has disclosed that 2,100 WPA pay checks were cashed unlawfully in the year which ended last June 30.

Three automobile plants in Detroit are closed due to a strike; 23,000 employees idle.

Commissioner Joseph B. Eastman of the Interstate Commerce Commission advises Senator Burton K. Wheeler of the Senate I. C. C. Committee that the I. C. C. is opposed to any radical readjustment of the nation's freight rate structure as would be necessary in legislation placing rates on the mileage or zone basis. Commissioner Eastman states that "this is likely to have results more disturbing than beneficial."

The Argentine government is reported as desirous of arriving at a commercial treaty with the United States favorable to both countries. This word follows the recent announcement from Buenos Aires that United States import quotas were to be cut. The reason given for this is that it becomes necessary to bring imports into balance with exports as the only way in which Argentina can pay. Argentina is especially interested in United States automobiles, refrigerators and agricultural machinery.

The British government is preparing to borrow \$3,752,000,000 to spend on armaments under a five year program which is to be completed by 1942. The British Parliament indicated a decision to recognize the Spanish Insurgent government and reported preparations for closer military cooperation with France.

SPECIAL CARNIVAL TRAIN

A special train to accommodate those wishing to attend the Carnival at Berlin Sunday will leave the Bethel station at 10:30 a. m. The return train leaves Berlin at 6 p. m.

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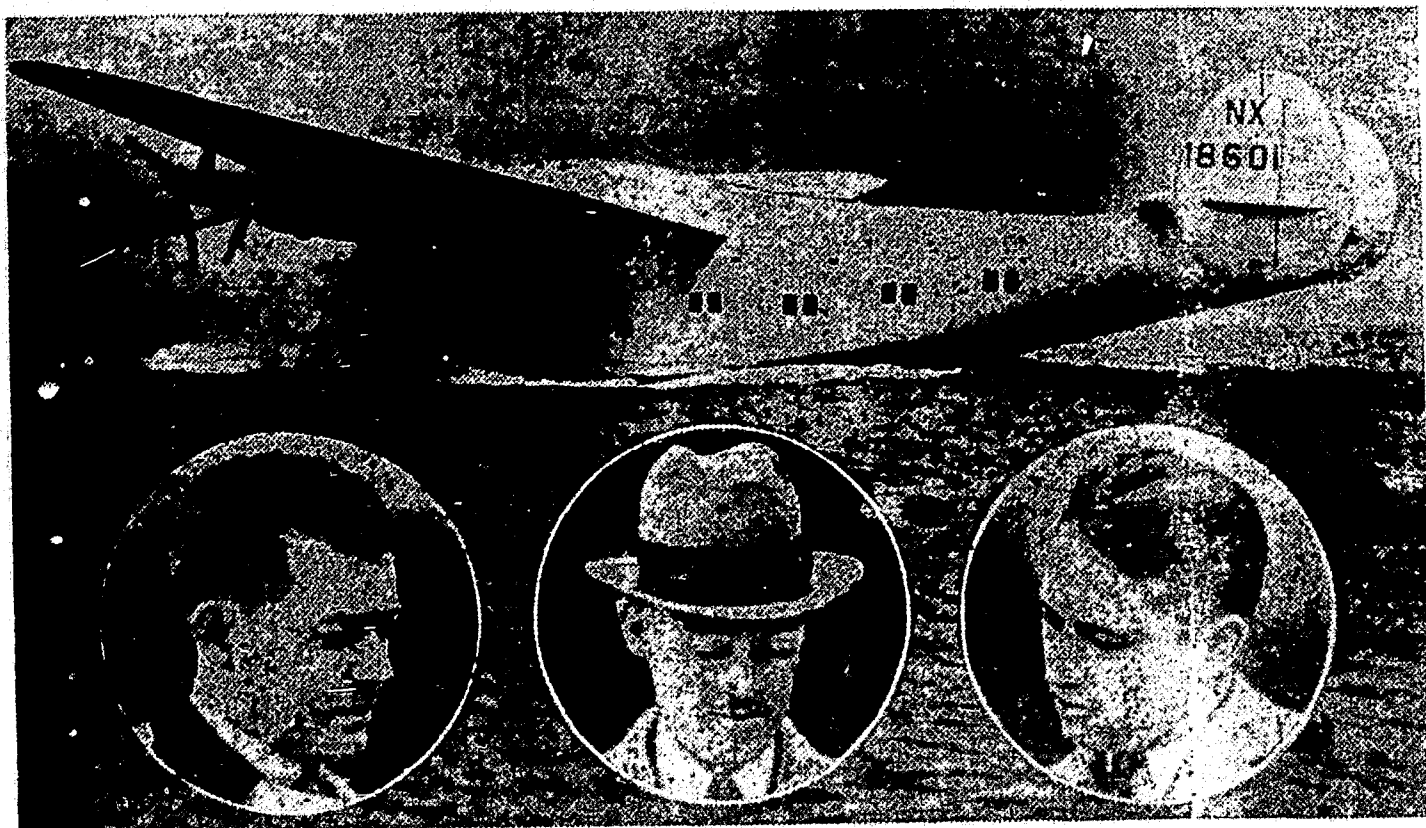
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New York-London Air Service Set for March



Undergoing trial flights for the civil aeronautics authority is one of Pan-American airways new 42-ton clipper ships which will begin the first London-New York service the latter part of March. The new Boeing strato-liner made her test flights at Seattle, Wash. The ship will carry more than 50 passengers, making one flight a week in each direction at the start. Testing crew includes: left to right: Co-pilot Julius Barr, Test Pilot Edmund T. Allen, and Co-pilot Earl Ferguson.

PUBLIC USE OF NATIONAL FOREST DISCUSSED

Areas on White Mountain National Forest which will be available to public use during the coming summer were discussed with Supervisor Graham and his Staff in Laconia on Tuesday by representatives of State agencies and leading recreation groups. The consensus of the meeting was that while it will be necessary to protect certain hard-hit areas in the National Forest, in general the hatch string will be out again this year despite the hurricane.

The conference on Tuesday was a preliminary one, primarily to discuss in detail some of the fire hazard conditions which are affecting the drafting of the proposed National Forest use map. A general conference will be called at an early date, probably in Concord, where all interested parties will be invited to consider the proposed useable areas. The proportion of the area customarily used by the public which will be open this year is expected to be relatively high. There are interior areas of high fire hazard not generally used by the public which will require protection, but well over half of the trails and fishing areas, in addition to the Forest Camps and points of public interest, will be open. With a few exceptions, this will include the most popular trails. It is hoped to be able to have the Use maps available in printed form some time in April.

STALLED CAR HIT BY RAILROAD FLOW

The sedan of George Hewitt of Gorham, N. H., was carried about 300 feet by a Grand Trunk snow flow Monday evening, after the car had stalled at the Chadbourne mill crossing at South Bethel. Mr. Hewitt was able to get out of the car before the crash. The car was considerably damaged.

Mrs. James Macfarlane and daughter Jacqueline of Newmarket, N. H., are guests of Mrs. Emma Van Den Kerckhoven.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Town Budget Committee at the Selectmen's Office, Saturday, Feb. 25, at 2 p. m.

Committee: Ernest F. Bisbee, Carroll E. Abbott, John H. Howe, F. E. Russell, E. P. Brown, John P. Butts, Harry N. Head, Guy Bartlett, George N. Thompson, Leslie E. Davis, Fred F. Bean, Hugh D. Thurston.

GOULD SOPHOMORES LEAD IN CARNIVAL

The annual Gould Academy Winter Carnival, sponsored by the "Y" Club, came to a successful climax Saturday evening with the Carnival Ball held in the William Bingham Gymnasium. The Ball was held in cabaret style with many of the guests seated at tables around the dance floor and a large overflow crowd in the balcony. The main decorative feature was a life-size skater in action done by John Larsen of Marblehead, Mass., and placed against a green background at the back of the stage, being banked by evergreen trees. The green and white color scheme was followed out by streamers on the edge of the balcony leading to a square at the top of the gymnasium. The full orchestra of Freddie King of Berlin, N. H., furnished music for the affair from 8 to 11:30 with refreshments served during intermission.

The Carnival opened auspiciously with the Gould Academy Junior Varsity defeating the Fryeburg Academy Junior Varsity 41-12 while the Gould Varsity defeated Fryeburg 40-21. An early dinner was followed by an after-supper dance with music furnished by the Gould Academy Swing Band, after which the guests filled Odeon Hall to overflowing for a showing of "Men with Wings."

The Ski and Snowshoe events were held Saturday morning at 9:30 on the athletic field and nearby slopes while the afternoon events were held at Anderson's ski slopes. Due to poor snow conditions on Friday the boys' cross country was not held until Tuesday afternoon. The results show the Sophomores leading the competition for the Winter Sports Trophy with 66½ points, the Freshmen second with 61½, followed by the Juniors with 36½ and the Seniors with 31½. The high-point winners in the various classes of boys and girls are as follows: Girls, Senior, Barbara Lyon; Junior, Kathryn McMillan; Sophomore, Joyce Swan; Freshman, Rachel Field. Boys, Post-Graduate, John Larsen; Senior, Frank Littlehale; Junior, Fred with Carl Tucker and Sidney Howe; Sophomore, Romeo Baker; Freshman, Elmer Runyon.

A complete list of point winners is as follows:

Jumping: 1st, F. Littlehale; 2nd, R. Crockett; 3d, S. Howe; 4th, I. Cummings. Downhill (A): 1st, R. Baker; 2d,

MRS. DALPHON S. BROOKS

Mrs. Effie Mills Brooks, wife of Dalphon S. Brooks, died at her home on Holt Hill Tuesday morning after a long period of ill health.

Mrs. Brooks was born in Yarmouth May 10, 1884, the daughter of William J. and Josephine Mills. After graduating from Yarmouth Academy she taught school for a time, and in 1902 married Mr. Brooks. Since then they have lived in several places in Maine and New Hampshire where Mr. Brooks has held pastorates. Due to ill health Mr. Brooks was forced to retire from the active ministry several years ago, and for the past nine years they have lived at East Bethel and Holt Hill.

Besides her husband she is survived by four sons and a daughter: Ambrose Brooks of Conway, N. H.; Irving Brooks of Farmington, N. H.; Victor, Charles, Earl and Ruthetta Brooks of Bethel.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this Thursday afternoon at Greenleaf's funeral home.

E. Runyon (tie), J. Larsen; 4th, I. Cummings, H. Robertson (tie), R. Wentzell, D. Brooks.

Downhill (B): 1st, V. Adams, G. Adams (tie); 3d, C. St. Thomas; 4th, H. Haley, B. Clough.

Downhill (Girls): 1st, K. McMillan; 2d, C. Waterhouse; 3d, R. Field; 4th, J. Swan.

Slalom (A): 1st, F. Littlehale; 2d, I. Brown; 3d, E. Runyon (tie), I. Larsen.

Slalom (B): 1st, H. Blanchard; 2d, V. Adams, G. Adams (tie); 4th, B. Clough, H. Robertson (tie).

Slalom (Girls): 1st, R. Ball; 2d, K. McMillan; 3d, E. McMillan.

Cross Country Ski: 1st, R. Baker; 2d, E. Brown; 3d, I. Cummings; 4th, E. Miller.

Ski Dash (Boys): 1st, R. Baker; 2d, E. Brown; 3d, E. Miller; 4th, F. Littlehale.

Ski Dash (Girls): 1st, J. Swan; 2d, R. Field; 3d, E. Field; 4th, R. Ball.

Snowshoe Dash (Boys): 1st, E. Miller; 2d, E. Runyon; 3d, C. Tucker; 4th, B. Clough.

Snowshoe Dash (Girls): 1st, B. Lyon; 2d, R. Ball.

Snowshoe Cross Country: 1st, E. Runyon; 2d, B. Clough; 3d, E. Miller; 4th, F. Littlehale.

Medley Relay: Sophomores 1st, Freshmen 2d.

Three-Legged Race (Girls): 1st, H. Lowe & V. Smith; 2d, K. McMillan & E. McMillan; 3d, M. Clough & V. Chapman; 4th, F. Warren & B. Littlefield.

WEST PARIS' NEW GYM PROJECT PROGRESSING

The West Paris Alumni Association presented the drama "Light-house Nan," before a full house at the West Paris Grange Hall on Friday, Feb. 17. The play was well received and "Uncle Ezra's Boys" brought down the house. The cast were: June Holmes, Arthur Briggs, Simeon Farr, Martha Day, Eleanor Purkis, Stanley I. Perham, Lucy Barrows, Stanley Andrews, Clayton Bane, Walter Inman, Leone Penley and Lenwood Andrews. Coach—Conrad Lamb.

The future presentation of the "Black Faced Minstrels of 1939" was announced. The Entertainment Committee in charge of events for 1939 are Stanley Andrews, Simeon Farr, Lucy Barrows, Muriel Scribner, and Doris Slattery.

Harold C. Perham of the Executive Board announced the splendid progress made on the Gymnasium and Community Hall and the 1939 drive for \$3,000 to complete this community project. He stated that the 50% increase in estimated costs was due entirely to improved construction under the specifications approved by the Works Progress Administration.

Mr. Perham said that the final completion of the gym means a complete gymnasium and assembly building 50x96 feet, with a stage at one end and attendant dressing rooms at either side. It signifies good foundation, fireproof roofing, clapboarded walls, heating equipment and lighting equipment installed. It will serve the high school as a suitable hall for dramas, public speaking, and assemblies, and as a gymnasium for basketball and physical training. It will serve the alumni for similar purposes. The new gym will serve West Paris and North Paris as a community hall and gymnasium for civic improvement.

GOULD COMPLETES SEASON WITH SEVEN STRAIGHT VICTORIES

Last Tuesday Gould Academy defeated Gorham, N. H., High to close its 1938 season with seven consecutive victories and win 10 out of 14 games for the year. Starting the 1938-39 season by dropping its first game to Gorham 31-30 and continuing in the first half of the year by just holding its own, the Bethel quintet gradually built itself up to a strong aggregation which has swept everything before it in no uncertain terms. The final check-up of 10 wins out of 14 and seven straight victories to end the season is a record that was hardly hoped for early in the season and proves to be one of the best season's records in this section of the state.

The Gould basket tossers have produced two of the outstanding scorers of this section in Captain Wentzell, who, performing in his forward position has compiled a total of 140 points, closely followed by their rummy center, Palmer, who has gathered in 172 points. Brown, Holt, Tucker, Smith and Young have been other important cogs in Gould's basket producing machine this season.

The following is the record compiled for the year:

Gould	Opponent	Opp score
30	Gorham, N. H.	31
35	Oxford	33
34	Norway	40
29	Oxford	28
49	Mechanic Falls	17
18	Norway	23
39	South Paris	41
35	Alumni	23
34	Fryeburg Academy	28
54	Mechanic Falls	19
27	South Paris	26
58	Old Orchard	26
40	Fryeburg Academy	21
29	Gorham, N. H.	28
510	Opponents.	353

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martinson of Graton, Mass., were calling on friends in town today.

People and Spots in the Late News



DESIGNED IN PARIS... Two appealing qualities to feminine shoppers, style that is distinctive and serviceability, are combined in this wool jersey dress with stripes of red and white, latest Parisian importation. Small hat of cotton is worn with it.



WALLS OF GLASS... Frank Sohn, noted Toledo industrial designer, told Metropolitan Art Museum design clinic that America will soon be building homes with whole walls of colored and clear plate glass, echoing a trend which has been under way for several years in Europe.



IN WAKE OF QUAKE... Complete reconstruction program faces Chillan, city of 50,000 population, virtually wiped off the map, as shown here, by earthquake which swept through South Central Chile. Death and injury toll ran into thousands.



REWARDS IN RHYTHM... Forty years of rewarding deserving policemen and firemen with aluminum musical instruments made in home workshop brought John Buss, Pittsburgh machinist, fame when Dave Elman (left), NBC "Hobby Lobby" director, found him. Buss explained odd choice of material by saying it was light, strong and easily worked.



CROWDED DOG-HOUSE... The world was no more amazed over arrival of the Dionne quintts than was the Mary O'Farrell household, in Brooklyn, when "Lucky", pedigree Irish setter proudly produced this unusually large litter of 14 little "Luckies". Mother dog was unable to care for but eight properly so six were adopted temporarily by beagle hound until they had learned to use bottles.

BRYANT POND

Judith Grover Tent, D. of U. V., met Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, Mrs. Harriett Farnum, Mrs. Beatrice Farnum and Mrs. Sadie Lakeway were installed. Mrs. Verna Swan gave a reading on Lincoln. A Valentine Box was enjoyed by all and refreshments of fancy cookies, cakes and candy were served. A whist party will be held Friday night for the benefit of the D. of U. V.

Belle Black, a scrapper, Velma Cummings, Louise Lane, a peacemaker, Helvi Koskela, Clara Cotterel, a bragger, Corrine King, Cynthia Sears, the ring leader, Eleanor Stanley, Mrs. Mudd, a teacher, Rosalia Palmer. This play was prepared by this group of girls without outside coaching.

BRYANT'S MARKET

AT IGA	MEATS	Friday and Saturday	RINBO	2 lbs. pkgs. 30c
Mark's Boneless			Baker's	1 oz. bottle 25c
SIRLOIN ROAST	lb. 29c		PURE VANILLA	
FRESH SHOULDERS	lb. 17c		IGA Large Meaty	
6 to 8 lb. avg. wt.			FANCY SHRIMP	tall can 17c
Diamond "Y"			Fancy Fresh Spanish	
FRANKFURTS	lb. 19c		SALTED PEANUTS	1/2 lb. 10c
SALADA TEA	1/2 lb. pkgs.		HORMEL SPAM	can 29c
Red Label 41c Brown Label 33c			Crocker Meat Spiced Corned Beef	
Jay Tee Brand			FRY MEAL	pkg. 10c
MACARONI 3 1 lb. pkgs. 25c			Summit	
See-Kist Brand			KRISPY CRACKERS	lb. 15c
OOD FISH	lb. pkg. 23c		TOMATOES	2 lbs. 26c
IGA Make Pack			CRISP ORLEANS	bunch 12c
POD RUN PEAS	2 cans 27c		Family Size	
MAKEREEL	tall can 10c		NAVELS	dos. 21c

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Milton

Miss Clara Jackson and Miss Florence Burnham were home over the week-end from Rumford. Harry Poland of North Woodstock spent Sunday with his brother, Charles Poland.

Miss Clara Jackson and Miss Florence Burnham attended the funeral services of Mrs. Tena Woodsum at Mechanic Falls Sunday.

Phillip Clifford of Rumford was the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Addie Lapham, Sunday. Alton York and Sylvester Gerrish of West Peru were dinner guests of Mrs. Oneida Davis Sunday.

Owen and Everett Davis were in South Paris Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Packard and family of Waterville were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Billings.

Sunday callers of Harry Billings were Roy Day of South Paris and Miss Charlotte Braden of Rumford Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller were in Bethel Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Miller and Mrs. Helen Gireau went to Portland Monday. Miss Beatrice Cushman returned with them.

Indian Wars Depopulated Ohio
The Ohio country, once a rich hunting ground for 12,000 to 15,000 Indians, was virtually uninhabited for several decades about 300 years ago, according to Dr. Beverly W. Bond, University of Cincinnati professor of history. Ohio became a "no man's land" as a result of wars between New York state Iroquois and the Ohio Erie nation in the middle of the Seventeenth century. The Eries were defeated and almost destroyed. More tribes came to this area about 1680 seeking new hunting grounds, Doctor Bond said.

FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond met Saturday evening, Feb. 18. Mr. and Mrs. Lister of Locke Mills, members of Stoneham, Mass., Grange, and Mrs. Smith of Newburg Grange were visitors.

Song, "Quilty Party," Grange Program:
Reading, "Abraham Lincoln," Florence Perham
Harmonica music, Jay LaMontagne
Remarks on Life of Washington, Ellis Davis
Reading, "Send a Valentine," Lettie Day
Remarks on Life of Lincoln, Clayton Ring
Mystery Package March, Members
Harmonica music, Jay LaMontagne
It was voted to have a town meeting dinner. Committee for dinner: Rena Howe, Florence Perham, and Eva Yates. After the meeting a box supper was enjoyed by Franklin Grange and Juvenile Grange.



WHEN FOOD FERMENTS AND GASES RISE
TAKE JUST ENOUGH TO ALKALIZE -
Gas is fine in your stove or furnace, but it's both painful and embarrassing in your stomach. Why don't you use Alka-Seltzer for the relief of ACID INDIGESTION, Colds, Headaches, Neuralgia, Muscular, Rheumatism, Sciatic pains?
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BE WISE-ALKALIZE

South Woodstock

Owing to a change in plans the variety shower which was to have been held at the Union School house this Saturday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Murlin McLaughlin, sponsored by the Willing Workers, will not be held. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin will sponsor a shower, entertainment and dance at Benson's Pavilion for their friends next Wednesday evening, March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews visited her parents in Malden, Mass., from Sunday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Green and son Basil spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Davis.

Charles Ryerson is at the Rumford Community Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis of West Paris were Saturday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andrews.

Mrs. Herbert Meserve has been quite ill this past week, but is gaining slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Perham, G. W. Q. Perham, Ellis Davis and Mrs. Frank Davis attended the Grange State School of Instruction at Rumford Center on Monday.

The family of Ben Wilson have been ill with severe colds. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Strout of Mechanic Falls were Sunday callers of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Felt.

BUSINESS CARDS

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WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

To Carl L. Brown, a Citizen of the Town of Bethel in Oxford County.

GREETINGS.—In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel qualified to vote in Town affairs, to meet in Odeon Hall, in said Town of Bethel on Monday, the sixth day of March, at 8 o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To choose by ballots the following Town officers for the ensuing year in accordance with Sections 38 to 52 inclusive of Chapter 5 of the Revised Statutes of Maine and all acts amendatory thereof and additional thereto to wit: Town Clerk, Three Selectmen, Three Assessors, Three Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, one member of School Committee for three years, Tax Collector, Road Commissioner, and Auditor. The polls or ballot box for receiving ballots for the above mentioned offices shall be closed at 12:30 P. M.
- Art. 3. To hear and act on reports of the several town officers.
- Art. 4. To establish the price the Selectmen, the Assessors, the Overseers of the Poor, shall receive for their services.
- Art. 5. To establish the price the Road Commissioner shall receive for his services.
- Art. 6. To establish the price to be paid for collecting taxes, for the ensuing year.
- Art. 7. To choose all other necessary Town officers.
- Art. 8. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for support of Common Schools, for the year 1939.
- Art. 9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Secondary Schools, for the year 1939.
- Art. 10. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Textbooks, for the year 1939.
- Art. 11. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for School Supplies, for the year 1939.
- Art. 12. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for repairs on schoolhouses, for the year 1939.
- Art. 13. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for insurance on schoolhouses, for the year 1939.
- Art. 14. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for services of a School Physician.
- Art. 15. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for salary of School Superintendent.
- Art. 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate \$61.00 for public health work in Bethel, said sum to be expended by the Bureau of Health, State Department of Health and Welfare, in cooperation with local authorities.
- Art. 17. To see if the Town favors the employment of a clerk for the Superintendent of Schools and payment for the same from the school fund.
- Art. 18. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for repair of Roads and Bridges, for the year 1939.
- Art. 19. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Winter Roads, for the year 1939.
- Art. 20. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Tarvia for Village Streets.
- Art. 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for Tarvia to be applied on the West Bethel Flat Road from Highway Route No. 2 past the West Bethel Schoolhouse.
- Art. 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for Tarvia to be applied as a second treatment to that part of the North West Bethel Road tarred in 1938.
- Art. 23. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the assessors to rescind any amounts appropriated by the town for State Aid Highway construction in excess of the amount required to meet State apportionments.
- Art. 24. To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for State Aid road construction (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Section 19, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Section 3, Chapter 229, Public Laws of 1937.
- Art. 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1090.80, said amount being the Town's share of the joint expense for maintenance on State and State Aid Highways as provided by Chapter 28, Section 9, and Section 18 of the Revised Statutes of 1930, as amended by Chapter 149 P. L. 1935.
- Art. 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1137.00 to entitle the Town to Third Class Highway funds as provided in Sections 44 and 46, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes 1930 as amended by sections 4 and 5 of Chapter 229 Public Laws 1937.
- Art. 27. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to continue a W. P. A. Project.
- Art. 28. To see if the Town will vote to accept the street as laid out by the Selectmen, leading from the easterly end of Clark street to the westerly line of land now owned by Norris T. Brown.
- Art. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay land damage, incurred under Article 28.
- Art. 30. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for maintenance of sewers for the year 1939.
- Art. 31. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for support of poor, for the year 1939.

West Paris

The Glad Hand Class observed Gentlemen's Night by a Valentine Party at the Church vestry Tuesday evening. A large gathering attended and a merry evening of games and songs was enjoyed by all. Committees in charge of the affair were as follows: reception—Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Mrs. Ella Nickerson, Mrs. Roxie Inman; games—Mary Perham, Lyndell Farr, Minnie Curtis; refreshment—Muriel Millett, Beatrice Dymont, Clara Gordon.

At a special business meeting preceding the Valentine Party the Glad Hand Class voted to finance the repainting and redecorating of Good Will Hall.

The Bates Literary Club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs.

Stanley I. Perham. The subject is "China," with the following program:

Johnson's "Twilight in the Forbidden City," Mrs. Ethel Penley
"The Great Wall of China," Mrs. Minnie Curtis

"China, as Seen by Miln," Mrs. Lettie Ellingwood

United Church Sunday was observed at the Universalist Church Sunday morning. The pastor, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes gave a fine sermon and good music was rendered by the choir. Walter Inman sang a solo, "The Stranger of Galilee," with Mrs. Conrad Lamb as accompanist.

The drama, "Lighthouse Nan," for the benefit of the Gym was nicely presented and received large patronage.

Sunday River

Mrs. Frank Wilson has been very sick with tonsillitis. Joe Welch has returned from his work for Bartlett Bros. Miss Ina Bean was home over the week-end.

Surprise Birthday Party

A very pleasant surprise birthday party was given Mrs. Nettie Fleet in honor of her 73d birthday which was Feb. 16, at the Lower Sunday River Schoolhouse on Feb. 17 from three until four o'clock by neighbors, pupils and teacher.

The school sang songs, the birthday song being the most important. The gifts were concealed in a pale green box, decorated with bright butterflies, which was presented by Misses Jane Bean and Barbara Nowlin.

After the gifts were opened, a birthday cake was cut and served by the honor guest.

Those present besides the guest of honor were Mrs. Bertha Bean, Mrs. Mina Nowlin, Mrs. Phyllis Williamson, Jane Bean, Edward MacDonald, Florence, Barbara, Raymond and Clyde Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fleet and son David. Illness prevented some from being present.

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THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

The other day I was thumbing around in our Webster's, and I run across the word, Yokel. And the book, it says that a yokel is a country bumpkin.

And I got to thinking about it, and you know she looks maybe like the dictionary, it is not terribly up-to-date. You see more bumpkins around in our cities than you will see in the country.

You take these moving picture and Hollywood folks we been reading about—they listened to the slickers on the boat. And they been trying to dodge through the Custom House, with some French jewelry, etc.—in their inside pocket. And they are being a bigger Yokel than a farmer going into Chicago and buying the post-office from a guy he met on the R. R. train.

If I was setting out to fool some guy, I would hit right smack into the biggest place I could find—and pick out a sophisticated person.

The old dictionary, she needs overhauling—on country bumpkins.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA



A Word to the Wife

Saving money does not indicate poverty. Manufacturers strive hard to save a few cents. Millionaires kick at a penny overcharge.

Saving is only another word for good management. Save in buying and you have more.

When you see the ads in this newspaper and learn how much money you can save you'll watch and shop them again and again.

Adapted by

Andy

HOLDING THE RUNAWAY



Many Have 'Ax to Grind' "Don't complain," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "when you find that someone has an ax to grind. After you have turned the grindstone you are fortunate if he doesn't expect you to chop the wood."

First White Men in Chicago Father Jacques Marquette, a French missionary, and six companions paddled their canoes into the Chicago river in 1674. They were the first white men to set foot on the soil that later became Chicago.

France's Error When France claimed a section of Antarctica many years ago, it issued a proclamation against shooting polar bears within the territory, not realizing, observes Collier's Weekly, that no land mammal of any kind inhabits these vast South Polar regions.

Life-Savers Fully Dressed Every New Year's day Copenhagen holds a gala swimming fete in Hellerup harbor, at which swimmers of all ages and both sexes enter a life-saving race fully dressed. The event is known as "the cold shiver."

The SNAPSHOT GUILD PICTURE TRIMMING



Trimming improves many pictures. Select best part—have it enlarged, with remainder masked out. One picture may contain many, as sketches at right show. Experiment with your pictures, find composition you like best—then enlarge.

The effectiveness of a picture often depends on its proportions in relation to the natural composition of the subject. Snapshots made with the same camera are necessarily the same shape—but that does not mean that the exact proportions produced by the camera are the best for each picture.

Sometimes a picture will look better if portions on the sides are trimmed away, leaving a long, narrow panel. In other cases, a vertical picture may be improved if it is trimmed down to a horizontal shape. And often, a picture is best if it is cut almost square.

Don't accept your pictures just as they come from the camera. Try this. Cut two L-shaped pieces of white cardboard, and use them as movable masks over your prints. Move the two L-masks about, excluding various parts of the picture, and experimenting with different shapes. You are likely to find one shape which is just right for the subject. And you may find that there are two or three attractive, well-composed pictures in one not-so-good snapshot.

Frequently, you will find that the "heart" of a picture—the real picture—is just a small part of the

whole. In that case, trim out the essential part, and have an enlargement made, using it as a guide.

Generally, a subject with strong horizontal lines, such as an open landscape, calls for a horizontal picture. On the other hand, a picture with strong vertical lines, such as a forest scene with tall straight tree-trunks, calls for a vertical picture. Watch this point when you are taking snapshots. If a subject is best suited to a vertical picture, hold the camera in the vertical "taking" position. Again, if the subject looks best in a horizontal composition, take it that way. With this method you will not need to trim your prints so severely to make them perfect.

Often, by trimming to a different shape, the whole atmosphere and "feel" of a picture can be changed. Try it—and when trimming brings out a really outstanding picture, have an enlargement made so that the picture can be enjoyed in a more comfortable, easy-to-view size.

John van Guilder

WOODSTOCK TAKES GOULD'S SECOND AND "B" SQUAD

The Gould Academy Junior Varsity and "B" Squad basketballers went down in defeat at Bryant Pond on Wednesday evening of last week when they met the Woodstock High varsity and second teams. The summaries below tell the story.

WOODSTOCK (33)		
Cummings, c	6	1 13
Chase, lf	5	2 12
Twitchell, rf	0	0 0
Evans, rg	1	1 3
Brown, lg	1	1 3
Howe, rf	0	0 0
Morgan	0	0 0
Dunham	1	0 2
	14	5 33

GOULD SECOND (5)		
Wheeler, f	1	0 2
Bull, f	0	0 0
Blanchard, c	0	0 0
L. Morrill, g	0	0 0
Cummings, g	0	0 0
Clough	0	3 3
R. Morrill	0	0 0
	1	3 5

WOODSTOCK SECOND (23)		
Estes, c	2	0 4
Howe, rf	7	1 15
Redman, lg	1	0 2
H. Brown, lg	0	0 0
R. Vittum, rg	0	0 0
MacKillop, lf	1	0 2
Morgan, lg	0	0 0
	11	1 23

GOULD "B" SQUAD (16)		
Lowe, c	0	1 1
Amato, rf	2	0 4
Knight, lf	2	1 5
Brown, c	0	0 0
Cummings, rg	1	3 5
Billings, lg	0	0 0
Cross, lg	0	0 0
C. Thomas, c	0	1 1
Holt	0	0 0
	5	6 16

Referees—Willard and Farrar.

NIGHT DRIVERS NEED PLENTY OF VITAMIN A

Women who worry about members of their families having automobile accidents can accomplish more good by making sure the family diet contains plenty of vitamin A, which may improve night vision, than by wringing their hands and walking the floor, according to Dr. Lela Booher, Bureau of Home Economics, United States Department of Agriculture.

Dr. Booher's research work recently completed confirms previous knowledge of the importance of vitamin A in good vision. Her experiments showed that normal persons receiving adequate amounts of food to maintain body weight and vigor, but which lacked vitamin A became unable to see well enough to operate an automobile safely in dim light or at night.

The persons who cooperated with Dr. Booher in the experiment had normal vision at the start of the tests. After a period of 36 days, one of the persons on test required 10 times the amount of light in order to see as well as at the start of the experiment. After 43 days, this person required 10,000 times as much light for normal vision as at the beginning.

People who eat food which contains plenty of vitamin A are able to store a part of it in the liver and can call on this reserve when the diet becomes temporarily deficient in the vitamin. This reserve store is higher for some persons than for

GOULD TRIMS GORHAM FOR SEVENTH STRAIGHT VICTORY

With Palmer playing the role of hero Gould came through with their seventh consecutive victory to end a very successful season Tuesday evening. Tucker was the high point man of the game and his timely baskets kept Gould out front during the first half.

With Wentzell and Brown out of the game on fouls and Gorham playing hard driving ball the local boys saw their lead slipping. With less than two minutes to go and Gorham out in front 23-27 the stage was set for Palmer's dramatic finish. Here Hamlin committed a foul and Palmer stepped to the line and calmly dropped in the tying basket. Then Gorham was given three consecutive foul shots but the pressure and excitement was too much and all three were missed. With 40 seconds to go Palmer was again fouled and just as calmly he walked to the foul line and dropped in the winning point. It was a great example of calm deliberate accuracy and courage in the face of intense excitement and pressure.

Gould outclassed Gorham in the first half 21-13, but, with Brown and Wentzell out of the game and the rough and tumble affair that the second half produced, very little good basketball was shown by either team.

GOULD (25)		
Wentzell, f	2	1 5
Tucker, f	4	1 9
Young, f	0	2 2
Palmer, c	2	3 7
Brown, g	2	0 4
Holt, g	0	0 0
Smith, g	1	0 2
	11	7 29

GORHAM (28)		
Johnson, f	2	1 5
Eastman, f	2	0 4
Gorham, f	0	2 2
Paulsen, c	0	1 1
Hatch, c	0	0 0
Hamlin, g	2	2 6
Long, g	0	0 0
Lary, g	4	0 8
A. Hamlin, g	1	0 2
	11	6 28

G. A. 12 21 27 29

G. H. S. 6 13 24 28

Referee—Agrodina. Time—4

eights.

The Gould Second team also won a thriller from the Gorham Seconds 20-18. Wheeler's basket with only seconds to go broke the deadlock and won the game.

others, so deficiencies in vitamin A do not affect all persons equally soon.

The many common foods which are good sources of vitamin A include spinach, parsley, kale, broccoli, carrots, liver, cheese, butter, tomatoes, green peppers, asparagus, bananas, yellow corn, salmon, eggs, and whole milk. Codliver oil is rich in vitamin A and can be used to correct night blindness by vitamin A. If insufficient amounts are obtained in food.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Ernest Brinck has employment at Pittsfield, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chapman were in Berlin Tuesday.

Roger Foster has returned from his work at Rapid River.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshus Philbrick were in Portland Sunday.

Miss Barbara Ham of Auburn spent the week-end in town.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Edwards are spending this week in Portland.

Miss June Good of Auburn was the week-end guest of Miss Roberta Browne.

Ernest Bisbee, John Howe and Lloyd Luxton were in Augusta on business Tuesday.

Miss Dorothea Davis a teacher in Brockton, is visiting Mrs. C. P. Bailey for a few days.

Miss Esther Tyler, teacher at Deering High School, Portland, is spending this week at her home.

Miss Electa Chapin of Old Orchard Beach is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Brooks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert York and family have moved to Lincoln, N. H., where Mr. York has employment.

Earl Bryant of North Carolina, a former student of Gould Academy, was visiting friends in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meserve and family had as week-end guests Miss Helen Gale of Falmouth and Elwin Watson of Kezar Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose of Portsmouth, N. H., and Clayton Richards of Bath are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fuller this week.

Mrs. Harvey Jones and children, Roland and Esther, of Auburn are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sullivan of South Chatham, Mass., were week-end guests of their son, Grant Sullivan, a student at Gould Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Austin and son Maynard were in Poland Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Austin's sister, Mrs. Rose A. Pulisier.

Mrs. Herbert M. Hanson and children, Geraldine and Clayton, of Nashua, N. H., are the house-guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Brien and family.

Fifteen members of Bear River Grange enjoyed a social hour and refreshments at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Taylor Saturday evening.

John West of Berlin was in town on business Tuesday morning. He was travelling in a Cub plane, equipped with skis, and landed at Mayville.

Verne Smith, Miss Christie Thurston and Miss Ethel Jodrey, students at Northeastern Business College, Portland, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thurston.

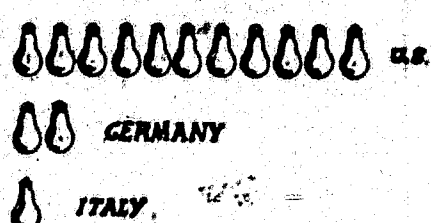
The Washington supper sponsored by the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church Wednesday evening was well attended. Those in charge of the supper were Mrs. Gilbert Brown, Mrs. Warren Blake, and Mrs. Charles Freeman.

Paul E. Browne, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne of Bethel, a senior in agricultural economics and farm management, College of Agriculture of the University of Maine, having obtained an average of B or better in his courses during the fall term, was included on the Dean's List issued last week by James A. Gannett, Registrar.

The Boy Scouts met at the Legion Rooms Monday night. Robert Greenleaf was the leader. Roscoe Swain, Raymond Wentzell and David Kirk passed Knife and Hatchet. Some bandaging was practiced. The Scouts will meet at the Legion Rooms Saturday at 10 o'clock. This is to be a private carnival for the troop. The meeting closed with the Scout Chorus led by David Kirk.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of Sunset Rebekah Lodge Monday evening. The candle light service was conducted by Miss Ida Packard, Mrs. Fern Jordan and Miss Esther Burris, and a reading in observance of Obligation Night was given by Miss Carrie Wight. It was voted to hold at least two more whist parties. Miss Maxine Clough is chairman of the whist committee and Miss Beatrice Brown chairman of the refreshment committee for next week. After the meeting games were enjoyed in charge of Miss Maxine Clough.

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS



BETHEL GRANGE

Bethel Grange held its regular meeting at the hall Thursday evening, Feb. 16, with the Worthy Overseer, Fred Clark, in the chair. Officers absent at roll call were Master, Lecturer, Treasurer, Secretary, Pomona and Flora.

Brothers Herman Mason and F. E. Russell installed the following officers:

Steward—F. E. Russell
Asst. Steward—Herman Mason
Chaplain—Ella Clark
Secretary—Hildred Bartlett
Gate-Keeper—C. C. Kimball
Pomona—Celestia Kimball
L. A. Steward—Lillas Coolidge
Sisters Coolidge and Bartlett acted as Marshals during the installation.

It was voted to hold the next meeting Thursday, March 2, at the home of Brother Fred Clark.

SCHOOL NOTES

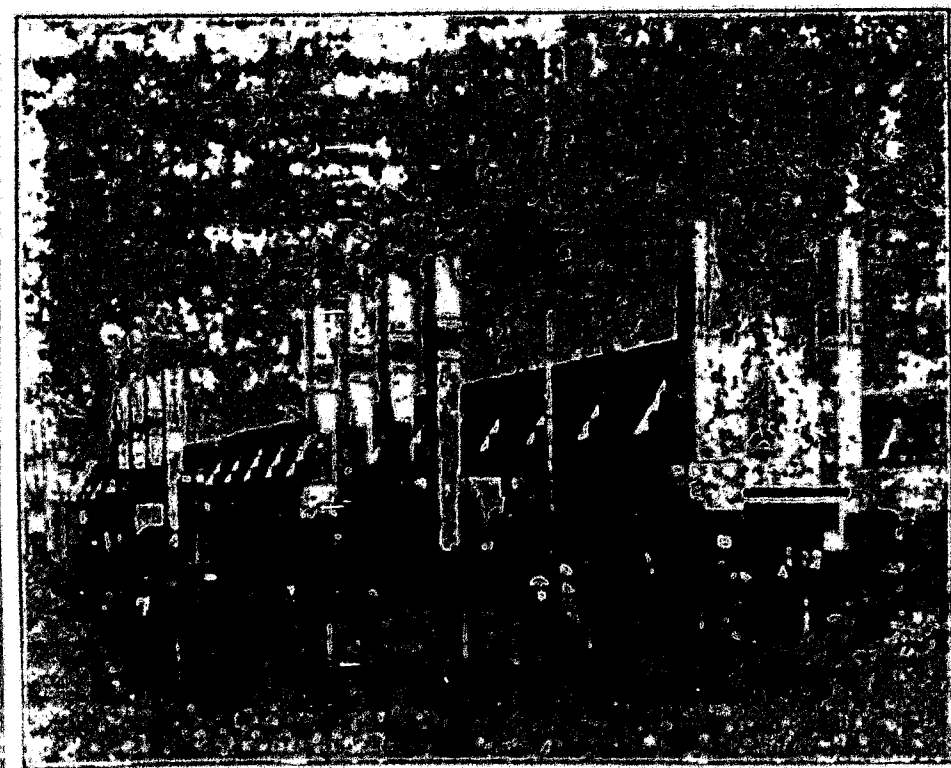
Grade VII
The following pupils have had 100 in Spelling during the last ranking period (including test): Francis Berry, Richard Kirk, Phyllis Daye, Marilyn Marshall, Ruel Swain, Verna Thompson.

Those receiving 100 in test of 50 words: Lillian Cash, Gilbert LeClair, Peggy Hanscom, Edward Little, Alice Pierce, Carol Robertson, Marcella Smith, Raymond Wentzell.

Asia Largest of Continents
By continents, Asia is the largest in the world; Africa next; North America third; South America fourth; polar regions fifth; Oceania sixth; and Europe seventh.

Keep Leaves Through Winter
All trees do not lose their leaves in winter. The evergreens (pine trees and their relatives) keep some of their leaves through the winter.

"Everything That Wears Feathers" Will Be at World's Poultry Congress



Housed in the Hall of Live Poultry at the Seventh World's Poultry Congress and Exposition in Cleveland, Ohio, July 28 to August 7, 1939, will be probably the most comprehensive display of all breeds and varieties of poultry ever gathered under one roof. It is the purpose of Congress officials to gather and display here representative specimens of every known breed and variety. Asked what the word "poultry" denoted as applied to this exposition, one official has replied—"Everything that wears feathers." Here the visitor will see every breed of chicken from the familiar breeds of our neighboring farm yards to rare and exotic varieties from out of the way corners of the world. There will be ducks and geese and turkeys, pigeons, water fowl and other types of common and rare feather bearing specimens. Here before the eye will range a vision of color and graceful line that would surpass any "beauty parade" for interest. Even the most experienced poultryman will find himself confronted by surprise after surprise as he encounters many of our lesser known breeds, colorful fowl from the tropics, rare breeds from far off Asia and little known varieties from the out-of-the-way corners of the world. To Congress visitors the Hall of Live Poultry will be a source of new-found interest and pleasure—and a most worth-while educational feature.

GOULD WALLOPS FRYEBURG

40-21
Gould Academy continued its winning ways, chalking up its sixth straight victory in convincing manner against Fryeburg Academy last Friday. The game started slowly with each team playing defensive ball and working cautiously. Gould managed to gain a lead of 7-4 in this period.

Early in the second period the visitors after several minutes of fast play tied up the score at 12 all. Then came Gould's great rally which saw Wentzell score twice and Palmer once in a minute's play. Freeman scored again for Fryeburg but Palmer sank two free throws which brought the score at half time to 20-14 for Gould.

The second half was entirely Gould's. With Wentzell, Tucker and Palmer scoring at will the Gould lead mounted at the three quarter mark to 30-15 and the final score was 40-21. The local boys were hot on free throws, getting 10 out of 16.

GOULD (40)				
Wentzell, f	5	3	12	
Clough, f	0	0	0	
Tucker, f	2	3	7	
Young, f	0	0	0	
Palmer, c	6	4	16	
Brown, g	1	0	2	
Smith, g	1	0	2	
Holt, g	0	0	0	
	15	10	40	

FRYEBURG (21)				
Murch, f	4	0	8	
Freeman, f	3	2	8	
Cram, f	0	0	0	
Lancaster, c	0	0	0	
Eastman, g	1	1	3	
Hammond, c	1	0	2	
Howard, g	0	0	0	
Smith, g	0	0	0	
	9	3	21	

G. A. 7 20 30 40
F. A. 4 14 15 21
Referee—Spinks. (Alabama). Time—4 eights.

The Gould Second team defeated the Fryeburg Second team in the preliminary game 41-12.

Diseases Among Indians
Measles and smallpox were the first recorded diseases which prevailed among the Indians

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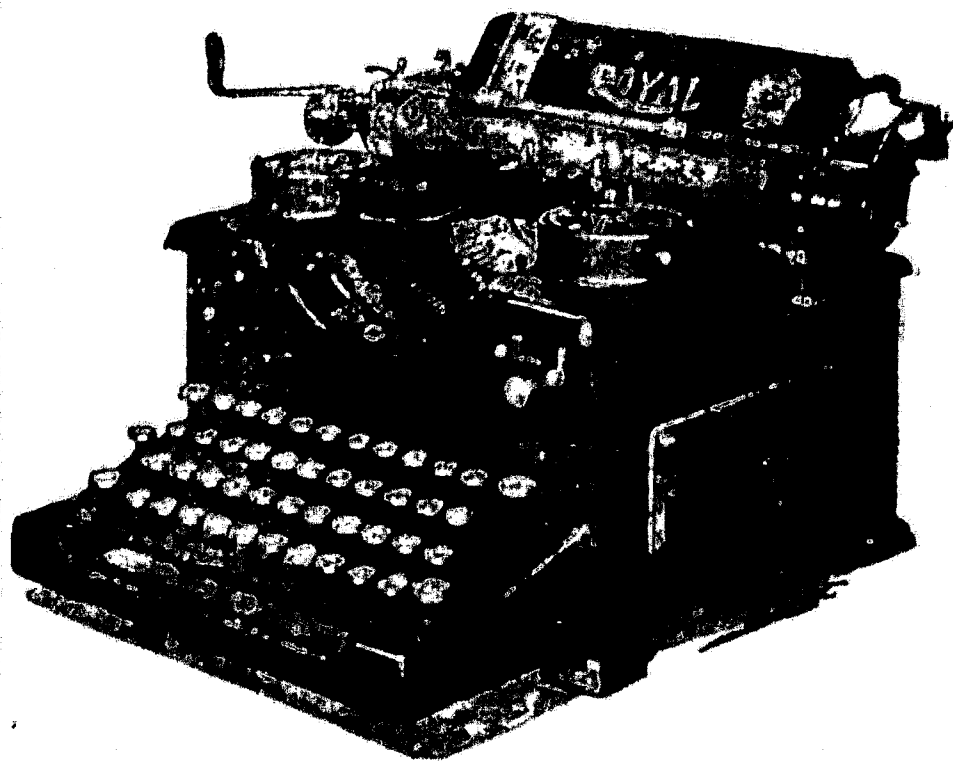
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Ken Murray, the sparkling humor of Ken Murray made such a hit with listeners when he made two guest appearances that he has been signed as regular proctor of that Wednesday night Star Theatre on CBS. Funnyman Murray rates as one of the select few vaudeville headliners who successfully weathered the advent of commercial radio and talking pictures by being conscripted for the "upper bracket" of each medium when the "two-a-day" became a lost art. His weekly exchange of barbed quips with Ned Sparks, Frances Langford, Kenny Baker, et al, reach more people than the old in years of vaudeville, so "weep not for Caesar, etc."

Jack Haley's advice on becoming a radio comedian reads: "Study the screwy dialect of Arty Auerbach, take a course in double-talk, filling your mouth with marbles, and make believe you're addressing a six-months-old child." Sounds simple.

Lovely Joan Banks, featured in Her Honor, Nancy James, is only two years out of High School but she has already starred with top radio names like Walter O'Keefe and Stoop and Bud. She is a talented comedienne as well as dramatic actress.



Joan Banks
Youth No Handicap

It's Rancher McGee, he's known as in these days. Anyway, Fibber McGee is looking over ranch houses in California's San Fernando Valley. Wouldn't you love to listen in on his conversations with the real-estate agents?

We caught Ellice Palmer of These Happy Gilmans the other day broadcasting in her stocking feet. Seems she turned up in a pair of those new wooden shoes and the director made her take them off because they made too much noise in the studio.

H. L. Mencken has put his stamp of approval on the inclusion of the word "gracie" in the American language dictionaries to signify "dumb-belle." That makes Gracie Allen one of the few living persons to become "a word for it."



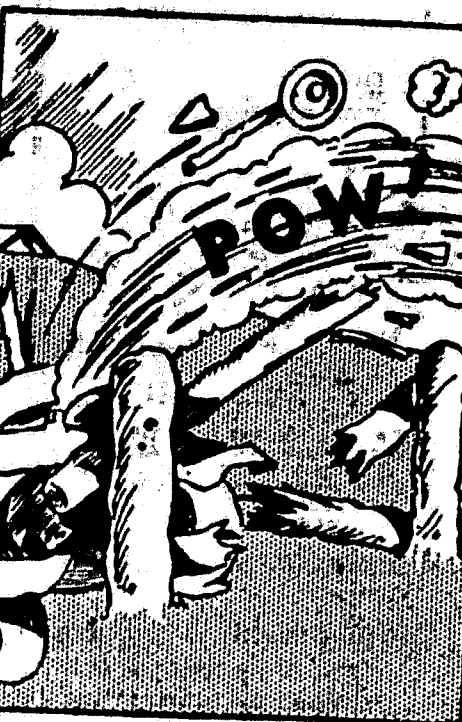
Loretta Foynton
Has Hollywood Habit

George Gaul of the Theatre Guild and Jane Seymour of "The Women" have joined the already star-studded cast of Big Sister.

Want to be a radio actor? Then don't be yourself, is the advice of veteran Bill Adams, heard on Your Family and Mine. "The trick of real acting," Bill says, "lies in losing your own identity and acquiring that of someone else."

Petite Loretta Foynton, Chicago radio star, journeyed to Manhattan recently for a film test and this candid shot between scenes indicates that already she has taken up the Hollywood fad of crocheting.

THE ADVENTURES OF OZZIE



Upton

Miss Lelta Brown had the misfortune to fall on the ice and break a bone just above the ankle.

Mrs. James Barnett and children are spending this week in town as there is a school vacation in Berlin.

Thursday evening the Scout troop met with Rev. John Manter at the home of C. A. Judkins.

Etta Barnett and Sarah Casey were home over the week-end.

The Girls' 4-H Club held a meeting at the Library Building last Saturday afternoon with their leader, Mrs. Pearl Peaslee.

The Boys' 4-H Club held a meeting at the home of their leader, C. A. Judkins, Tuesday evening last week.

Mrs. Addie Colby and children of Bethel spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vail.

Mrs. Lettie Douglass and Mrs. Pearl Peaslee attended the Farm Bureau training class at South Rumford last week.

Farm Bureau meeting was held Tuesday this week at the home of Mrs. C. A. Judkins. Subject, "Variety in Vegetables."

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Good Stories1 YEAR
Farm Journal1 YEAR
Breeder's Gazette1 YEAR

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North Newry

Fred Kilgore went to Lewiston Wednesday to see his granddaughter, who is in a hospital there.

L. E. Wight and E. W. Brown attended the carnival at Andover Sunday afternoon.

Miss Helen Richardson of Auburn is a guest at H. H. Morton's.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight attended the Grange Officers' School of Instruction, which was held by the State Officers at Rumford Center Monday.

Church Services will be held at H. H. Morton's Sunday.

Mrs. Albertine Walte and Mrs. F. W. Wight attended a Farm Bureau meeting at South Rumford Wednesday.

Grover Hill

Our bird neighbors, bluejays, chickadees, hairy and downy woodpeckers, white and red-breasted nuthatches, and a lone pair of juncos, are friendly and appreciative of the suet, crumbs, and grain put out for them.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Tyler were at B. S. Tyler's, East Bethel, Sunday afternoon.

The W. P. A. project on the farther end of this road has been completed, and they are now working at Sunday River.

Mrs. Burton Abbott has recovered from her recent illness.

South Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Harthorne visited Linwood Newell at Conway, N. H., Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Felt and son Lester of Woodstock called on her brother, Frank Brooks, Wednesday.

Francis Brooks of Bryant Pond was making calls in this place Friday.

There were several cars off the road on the flat Friday night and Saturday, caused by the icy traveling.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Francis have returned home from their visit in New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Brown of Rumford Point visited their daughter Mrs. Leonard Tyler, recently.

Hanover

A. C. Saunders attended a Dowel Association meeting at Beals Tavern in Norway one day last week.

Sunday School classes were held at the home of Mrs. Chester Cummings on Sunday morning with a good attendance.

The Oxford Bear K. P. basketball team went to Weld on Monday night to play the town team there. On Friday evening they will go to Boothbay Harbor for a return game with the Boothbay K. P's. The team has new royal blue and scarlet suits and sweat shirts and present a fine appearance.

Gene Daly of Portland spent Sunday at her home. She was a speaker at the Young People's Annual Conference in Rumford on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders of Houlton were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Saunders. They are spending a week with Mrs. Saunders' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Merrill of Rumford. Parker Russell has been indisposed the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Merrill were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Worcester.

Gene Daly, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders and son attended the ski meet at Andover on Sunday.

Charles Archibald and John McKenzie of Laconia, N. H., and Miss Bertha Clement were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Saunders during the annual Rumford Carnival.

Rowe Hill, Greenwood

Many have been ill this past week with the flu.

Mont Brooks cut his head while working in the woods Saturday.

Francis Brooks was at home over Sunday.

Mrs. Glenn Martin and children were in Greenwood Center Saturday.

Several girls snowshoed to Emery's camp at the foot of Indian Pond Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanacom spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ring and family of Sumner visited at Newton Bryant's Sunday.

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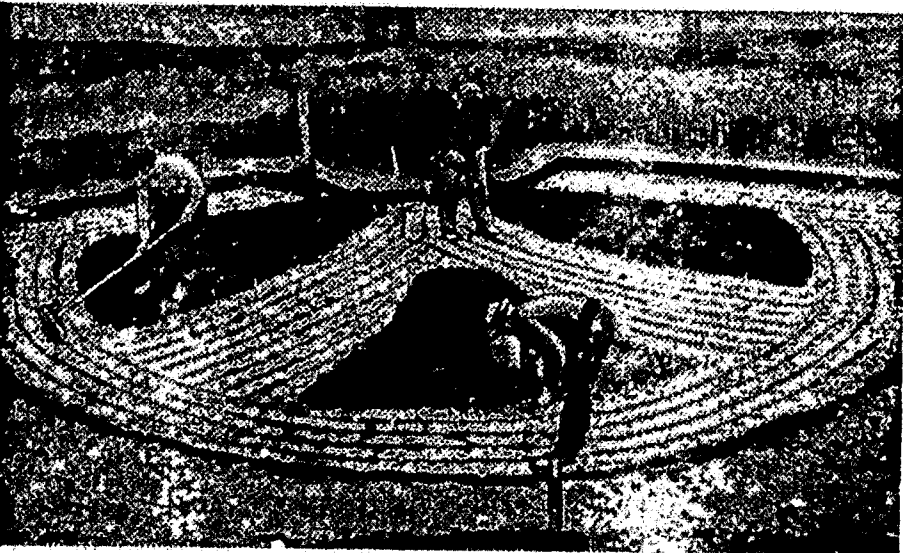
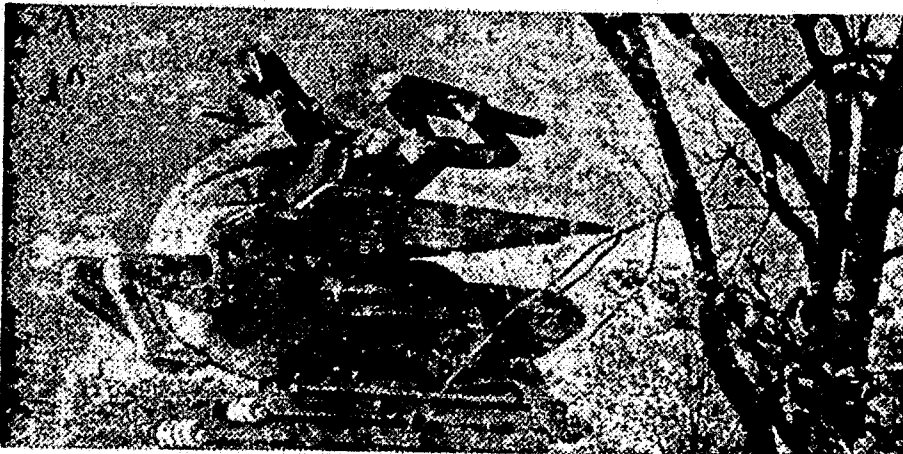
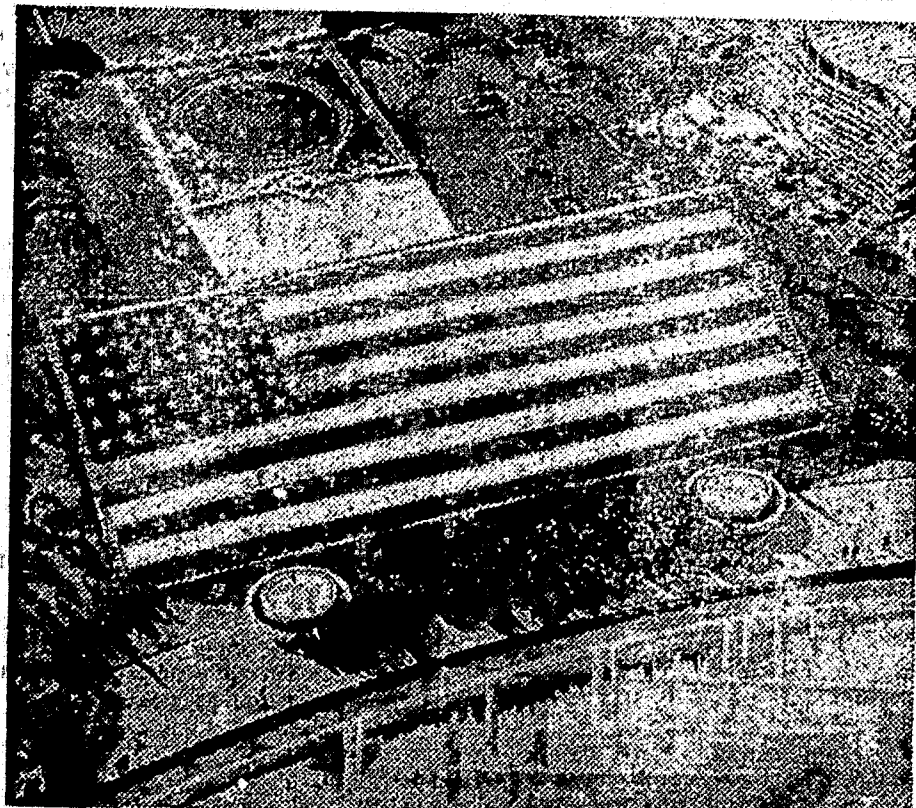
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THE FAIR IN PICTURES



NEW YORK—With the opening date of the New York World's Fair 1939—April 30—coming nearer and nearer, activities on the fair grounds are increasing daily. At the top you see a giant American flag, 90 x 230 feet, being saluted by 1,000 school children in a ceremony marking the dedica-

tion of the Col. of Peace, around which 62 nations are gathering their exhibits. In the middle appears a modern sculptural group called "Speed," featuring a woman astride a winged horse. At the bottom is one unit of tulip beds. More than 1,000,000 bulbs were imported from Holland to accentuate landscaping.

Albany—Valley Road

Harry Logan has moved to Norway, where he has employment at Wilson Cordwell's chicken farm.

Howard Inman was ill, and unable to attend school a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hatstat and family have moved into Sumner Bean's camp.

Clarence McAllister is working at Dollo Lapham's mill.

The meeting held at the Town House school house Sunday afternoon was led by Mr. Hodges. There will be another meeting in two weeks.

Leonard Kimball called at Harlan Bumpus' Sunday evening.

Arthur Haselton attended the Carnival at Bethel Saturday.

Harry Logan and Clarence McAllister were in Fryeburg Friday evening.

Patrick Dalgle and family have moved to Gilead, where he has employment in the woods.

Miss Laura Inman and Leroy Bennett Jr. of Bethel were at Ben Inman's Saturday evening.

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East Bethel

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith, who has been quite ill with bronchitis, is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Burns of Norway were at Mrs. Maggie Newton's Saturday night. Sunday Mrs. Burns went to the Rumford Community Hospital for treatment. Mr. Burns returned to Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Trask entertained with nine tables at whist Saturday evening for the benefit of the Pythian Sisters at Hanover. Many people came from Rumford Corner and Rumford. First prizes were won by Mrs. Jennie Mitchell of Locke Mills and Roland Stearns of Rumford Corner. Mr. Stearns' score was tied with that of Mr. Mitchell and J. C. Bartlett, but a lucky cut gave him the prize. Consolation prizes were won by Mrs. Floyd Ferren of Rumford Corner and Elwin Halacy of Rumford. Refreshments of cake, sandwiches and cocoa were served by Mrs. Trask and Mrs. John Howe.

The East Bethel Schools celebrated St. Valentine's day Friday afternoon instead of Tuesday, with a party. The hot lunch at noon was a surprise to the pupils and consisted of hot dogs and rolls. A peanut hunt was enjoyed. Richard Tyler of the grammar room and Edith Tyler of the primary room found the largest number of peanuts. A "dressing and undressing contest" was enjoyed as a relay race. Other games were included in the program after which the Valentine box was opened and Valentines delivered. Ice cream and cake were served and enjoyed by all present. Valentine napkins and favors added to the pleasure of the occasion.

The Farm Bureau met at Mrs. J. H. Howe's Thursday for a meeting on Muffin Making. The meeting was in charge of the local 4-H leader, Mrs. Howe, who demonstrated making whole wheat muffins. Rolled oat muffins and orange bran muffins were then made for dinner. After dinner the members judged muffins made for judging purposes with only one scoring a perfect score for proper placings. The recipes were talked over and then it was decided to change the vegetable meeting date from April 6 to March 2 as the training class on vegetables was held Wednesday. Mrs. Florence Hastings and Mrs. Lister went to South Rumford for that class Feb. 15.

The committee to raise money for Farm and Home Week dele-

gates are to have a whist party Saturday evening at the hall. Folks are asked to donate some article for a sale or auction after the party. Anything usable or saleable is all right. A quilt has been made and numbered holders and handkerchiefs are being sold for the quilt.

Mrs. O. B. Farwell, Willard Farwell and Mrs. John Howe attended the Grange officers conference held Monday at Rumford Grange, Rumford Center. State Master Richardson and Mrs. Richardson, State Lecturer Hartley, Steward Mrs. Fausta Howes, Home Welfare Chairman Charles Hascall and State Secretary Mrs. Hascall were present at the meeting.

John Howe was in Augusta Tuesday with Ernest Bisbee.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hastings and Mrs. Merton Lake were in Portland Tuesday.

Greenwood Center

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hanscom, Rowe Hill, were Sunday visitors at Beryl Martin's.

Walter Tyler, Bryant Pond, called on his uncle, Leo Swett, recently.

Lloyd Ferren, Rumford, was in the place one day last week.

Stanley Seames visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Cole, over the week-end.

George Tuell was at his home at West Paris for the week-end.

ALDER RIVER GRANGE

Alder River Grange, East Bethel, held a regular meeting Monday evening with 10 members present. After a brief business session a short program was enjoyed.

Roll call—my favorite radio program and why

Stories of Washington and Lincoln.

Members

Reading, Alta Brooks

Quiz, answered by Lawrence Tyler.

Rodney Howe, Malcolm Farwell,

Robert Billings, Charley Knight

The next whist party of the

Grange will be held at Mrs. Doris

Kimball's, Feb. 27, with Mellen

Kimball, Harris Tyler and Leslie

Noyes as committee in charge of

the party. Sisters Marguerite

Bartlett, Marjorie Billings and Bernice

Noyes were appointed Home

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UNITED PARISH

The Lovell Men's Club have challenged the Waterford-Men to a contest at the Bridgton Bowling Alley about 8 o'clock Thursday evening.

If you want to be well sustained for the encounter mentioned above, perhaps you better plan to be at the Circle Supper, Thursday evening at East Stoneham. Then if you recover in time, you will find a good supper to counteract that saint feeling at Center Lovell Friday evening.

Sunday is the first Sunday in Lent! We hope this season will be observed throughout the Parish with everyone making an effort to attend the services of worship, with the use of the helpful booklet, the Fellowship of Prayer, and with a thoughtful consideration of the realities of life. Within the Parish there will be special services as planned by the Ministers' Association for ours and neighboring Churches. You will be receiving a schedule of these meetings.

Because of the icy travel of last Sunday evening the meeting of the United Parish Pilgrim Fellowship was postponed. It will be held as planned next Sunday evening with Pauline York, and Agnes Gardiner will tell us the story of "Dinabandhu." Also at this meeting Mr. Hodges will open the Lenten Discussions to be conducted by the ministers.

We have not been able as yet to get in touch with all the authorities of the North Waterford Circle, but we are expecting that a Circle Supper will be served at the Vestry next Tuesday evening.

If you have not received a copy of the Fellowship of Prayer, and would like one, the Staff will be happy to send you one. If you will let them know.

The Waterford Men's Club will meet on Monday evening at the Wilkins House to discuss the articles in the warrant for the Town Meeting. The ladies are invited.

Kentucky Floods Win Race With Control Project



An outboard motorboat furnished transportation to these searchers in the flooded downtown section of Middlesboro, Ky., after the town was inundated by February mountain torrents. The flood came before the exposure. Untold damages resulted in the stores and shops.

METHODIST QUARTERLY
CONFERENCE HELD SUNDAY

The Quarterly Conference of the Bethel Methodist Church was held Sunday evening at the Church with Rev. Ernest W. Robinson, district superintendent, of Portland officiating. The reports showed the church in a very prosperous condition and Rev. M. A. Gordon was given an unanimous vote to return another year. The following officers were elected:

Trustees—Leslie Davis, Horace Annas, Perry C. Lapham, Herbert I. Bean, Mrs. Fannie B. Lovejoy, Carl Brown, Dr. Sherman S. Greenleaf, Gerard S. Williams, Fred Gordon
Stewards—Miss Minnie Wilson, Miss Eugenia Haselton, Mrs. Mary Lapham, Mrs. Lottie Bartlett, John C. Anderson, Mrs. Olive Wood, Mrs. Edith Grover, Mrs. Maude Bean, Miss Alice Capen, Miss Minnie Capen, Frank Abbott, Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, Mrs. Millie Wentzell, Mrs. Emma Robertson, Alanson Tyler, Mrs. Ella Clark, Mrs. Jennie Cates, Jasper Cates, Mrs. Marie Davis, Mrs. Linnie Abbott, Mrs. Esther Brown, Mrs. Elsie Davis, Mrs. Bernice Spearlin, Mrs. Alene Hinkley, Evans Wilson, Edwin Brown, Mrs. Lucy Leighton, Kenneth Brooks, Mrs. Mabel Greenleaf, Mrs. Edna York, Norman Hall

Committees:

Membership—Mrs. Mary Lapham, Miss Alice Capen, Edwin Brown, Musio—John Anderson, Mrs. Mildred Lyon, Charles Freeman, Kathryn Davis

Religious Education—Mrs. Florence Hamlin, Mrs. Mary Lapham, Mrs. Myrtle Lapham, Miss Minnie Wilson

Finance—Herbert I. Bean, Leslie Davis, Minnie Wilson, Harry Sawin, Horace Annas, Perry Lapham

Benevolence—Mrs. Ada Tyler, Miss Minnie Wilson, Mrs. Lottie Bartlett

Foreign Missions—Mrs. Edith Grover, Mrs. Olive Wood, Mrs. E. Norton

Social Service—Mrs. Ella Clark, Mrs. Mabel Greenleaf, Maurice Brooks

Temperance—Mrs. H. I. Bean, Mrs. Millie Wentzell, Edwin Brown

Auditing Accounts—Evans I. Wilson

Church Records—John C. Anderson, Wendell Gibbs

Parsonage—Mrs. Mary Lapham, Miss Minnie Capen, Mrs. Millie Wentzell

Pastoral Relations—Herbert I. Bean, Leslie Davis, Perry Lapham, Horace Annas, John C. Anderson

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

Week of Feb. 20
Grade Savings Bank Total PerCent

I \$4.00 \$5.10 52
II 2.00 2.95 64
III 1.00 2.55 61
IV 3.00 1.80 65

V \$9.00 \$12.40 57.56
VI \$3.00 \$2.76 48.15
VII 2.00 1.95 53.85
VIII .40 12.55

\$5.00 \$5.50
Fourth and Fifth have banners.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, February 26th

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Minister
9.30 a. m. Sunday School.
11.00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "Faith and Skepticism."
6.30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. M. A. Gordon, Pastor
9.45. Church School.
11.00 Morning Worship. Subject of sermon, "Twelve Baskets." Duet and chorus by choir, John Anderson, leader, Mrs. Mildred Lyon, organist.
6.30. Epworth League. Leaders, Sylvia Bird and Muriel Hall.
7.30 Evening Service. Subject, "Christ and the Children." Poems, favorite verses, prayer, new hymn.
Tuesday evening "Lenten Service" Choir rehearsal.
Ladies' Aid meets March 2 for an all day meeting at the Church Vestry.
Men's Brotherhood meets Feb. 27th.
Mothers Club meets March 8th at the Parsonage.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45.
"Christ Jesus" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Feb. 26.

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "And, behold, two blind men sitting by the wayside, when they heard that Jesus passed by, cried out, saying, Have mercy on us, O Lord, thou son of David. So Jesus had compassion on them, and touched their eyes; and immediately their eyes received sight, and they followed him" (Matthew 20: 31, 34).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Testimonial meetings at 7:30 p. m. on the second Wednesday of each month until May.

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In assembly on Wednesday morning the Gouldonians played the following selections: Moon at Sea; Can I Forget You; Blossoms on Broadway. On Friday morning the other group of Gouldonians will play: China Boy, Chinatown, Ebb Tide.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this way of thanking my many friends for remembering me on my birthday with cards, gifts, and other kindnesses.
MISS MARIA ROBERTSON

MARRIAGES

In Rangeley, Feb. 16, by Rev. C. F. Frederick, Lauren E. Bennett of Wilson's Mills and Miss Cleo C. Linnell of Magalloway Plantation.

DEATHS

In Bethel, Feb. 21, Mrs. Effie Mills Brooks, wife of Dalphon S. Brooks, aged 54 years.

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Yellow Wax BEANS 3 cans 27c
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